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Cambray, February 1, *N. S.*

ON the 26th paſt all the Ambaſſadours met at the Town-Houſe about Noon, and opened the Congreſs in Form. The King of Sardinia's Demand, relating to the Artillery which was taken away by the Spaniards at their evacuating that Iſland, was adjuſted and ſettled between the Spaniſh Plenipotentiaries and Count Provana the Sardinian Miniſter, preliminarily to the Opening of the Congreſs. This Day at Noon, the Spaniſh Plenipotentiaries having deſired a Conference with the Britiſh and French Plenipotentiaries, communicated to them a Letter of the 17th paſt (which they had juſt received) from Don John Baptiſt Orendain the new Secretary of State at Madrid for foreign Affairs, in which he acquaints them that the young King Lewis had taken upon him the Government on his Father's Renunciation, confirms in the Name of the ſaid young King his Maſter all the Orders and Inſtructions they had before received relating to the Affairs of the Congreſs, and directs them to aſſure all the Miniſters at the ſaid Congreſs, that the Alteration in the Government of Spain ſhall make no manner of Change in the Meaſures already taken, and that the King will follow his Father's Steps in cultivating the moſt ſtrict and intire Union with the Crowns of Great Britain and France. The Count de Santiſtevan, firſt Plenipotentiary of the Crown of Spain at the Congreſs, has alſo received Advice, that he is appointed to be one of the ſeven Cabinet-Counſellours to the young King; that he is likewiſe made Preſident of all the military Orders in Spain; and that his Office of Maſter of the Horſe to the Prince of Aſturias, is continued to him under the preſent King, in Reverſion after the Duke d'Arco. The ſaid Count de Santiſtevan is not to return to Madrid, to take Poſſeſſion of thoſe new Employments, till after the Congreſs here ſhall be brought to a Concluſion.

Paris, Feb. 2, *N. S.* On the 24th paſt the King returned to Verſailles from Trianon, whither he retired the 2d of that Month, when it was apprehended the Infanta-Queen's Indiſpoſition might be the Small-Pox, but it proved to be the Meaſles, of which ſhe is perfectly recovered. The Marſhal de Teſſé ſet out from hence the 26th paſt for the Court of Spain. M. d'Argenſon being made a Counſellour of State, has reſigned the Office of Lieutenant de Police of this City, which Office is conferred on M. d'Ombreval. Don Patricio Laules the Spaniſh Miniſter has received Credentials for continuing his Reſidence at this Court from the new King of Spain; who has likewiſe ſent his full Powers to the Spaniſh Plenipotentiaries at Cambray.

Whitehall, Jan. 27. His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the Reverend Dr. Nicolas Clagett to be Dean of Rocheſter, in the Room of Dr. Samuel Prat deceaſed.

Truſtees-Office South-Sea-Houſe, Jan. 10, 1723.

The Truſtees for Raiſing Money on the Eſtates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others give Notice, that on Wedneſday 12th Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, will be expoſed to Sale by Cant or Auction, to the beſt Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-Houſe, the ſeveral Eſtates following, viz. The Manner of Neatherhall, in the Pariſhes of Moreton and Shelley, and a Copyhold Meſſuage with the Lands and Tenements thereto belonging, in the Pariſh of Chinkford in the County of Eſſex, late the Eſtates of Ambroſe Page, Eſq; (one of the ſaid late Directors.) The Freehold Eſtate late of William Aſtell, Eſq; (one of the ſaid late Directors) in the Pariſh of Eaton Socon, in the County of Bedford. One third Part of the Manner of Peppyſhall, in the County of Hertford, late the Eſtate of William Morley, Eſq; (one of the ſaid late Directors.) And the late Dwelling-Houſe of Mr. Robert Knight, (late Caſhire of the ſaid Company) with the Lands and Tenements thereto belonging, in the Pariſh of Chigwell, in the County of Eſſex. Particulars of the ſaid Eſtates may be had at the Truſtees ſaid Office.

Truſtees-Office South-Sea-Houſe, Jan. 24, 1723.

The Truſtees for Raiſing Money on the Eſtates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others give Notice, That on Wedneſday the 5th Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, will be expoſed to Sale by Cant or Auction, to the beſt Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-Houſe, the ſeveral Eſtates following, viz. An Equity of Redemption in the Manner of Shalford,